

XXVI. Read Hole-Narsipur Taluk Amildar's report No. 379, dated 8th April 1912, forwarding explanation of District Board member Mr. N. D. Venkataramaiya of Hole-Narsipur Taluk for his absence from three consecutive meetings of the Board, stating that on account of outbreak of plague in the town, he was living in the shed outside the town and consequently he was unable to attend the meetings.

Resolution.—Resolved that, in the circumstances mentioned, Government be moved to condone the member's absence from three consecutive meetings.

XXVII. Read the following for the information of the Board:—

1. Government Order No. 6381-92—Sany. 250-07-33, dated 8th March 1912, directing that ordinarily the charges for the suppression and prevention of plague including the erection of sheds be borne by the local bodies concerned.
2. Government Proceedings No. F. L. 4129-38—S. A. 145-11-2, dated 29th March 1912, laying down rules regulating the rates of travelling allowances admissible to midwives.

Resolution.—Recorded.

XXVIII. Read this office yadi No. 3319, dated 25th April 1912, addressed to the Assistant Commissioner, Channarayapatna Sub-Division, sanctioning the urgent execution of the work of deepening a well and providing with a pulley at Basthiballi village, Channarayapatna Taluk, at an estimated cost of Rs. 25, with a view to providing good drinking water and thus to suppress cholera at the place, the charge being met out of the provision of Rs. 300, sanctioned under "X. Miscellaneous, (8) Cholera and plague charges" in the District Fund budget for 1911-12.

Resolution.—Recorded and approved.

XXIX. Read General and Revenue Secretary's memo No. 7640—L. B. 16-11, dated 17th April 1912, requesting explanation with Reference to Resolutions Nos. VIII and XXIII of the District Board meeting held on 19th and 20th February 1912, as to why the Board consider that the cost of improvement of 3rd class travellers' bungalows is not a legitimate charge on the District Funds.

Resolution.—Resolved that it be explained to Government on what authority this Board expressed the opinion in the above-quoted resolution.

XXX. Read the communications received from the following members of the District Board expressing their inability to attend the meeting:—

Mr. W. L. Crawford.
 „ G. P. Dharanaiya.
 „ Chikkabeedi Nanjanna.
 „ Suryanarayanasetty.

Resolution.—Recorded.

XXXI. Resolved that the next meeting of the District Board be fixed for Monday, the 5th August 1912, at 1 P.M.

P. R. W. WETHERALL,
President, District Board.

CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MEETING OF THE CHITALDRUG DISTRICT BOARD HELD AT
 CHITALDRUG ON THE 18TH MAY 1912.

PRESENT.

K. Chandy, Esq., B.A., President.

Official Members.

1. Mr. C. G. Hanumansingh, District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Chitaldrug.
2. „ R. Nanaswami Row, Vice-President.
3. „ M. K. Tirumalachar, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Chitaldrug.
4. „ C. Krishnaiengar, Executive Engineer, Chitaldrug Division.

ABSENT.

5. Mr. T. Rayalu Chetty, Assistant Commissioner, Davangere Sub-Division.
6. „ M. S. Ramachandra Row, Assistant Commissioner, Chitaldrug Sub-Division.

PRESENT.

Non-official Members.

1. Mr. P. Nanjundappa.
2. „ Shanbhog Subbanna.
3. „ Muttagadur Gurusiddappa.
4. „ P. Nagappa.
5. „ Shanbhog Srinivasa Row.
6. „ Abdul Razak Sab.
7. „ Khubaji Durgappa.
8. „ Abdul Rahiman Sab.
9. „ B. V. Narayana Row.
10. „ Belagatta Ajjappa.
11. „ Nadiga Siddaramaiya.
12. „ Nerlahalli Sannappa.
13. „ H. Subba Row.

ABSENT.

14. Mr. Yele Basappa.
15. „ Channagiri Narayana Chetty.
16. „ Nagojee Row.
17. „ Shanbhog Rangadasappa.
18. „ Maganahalli Basappa.

N. B.—All the Amildars and Deputy Amildar of Harihar were present, except Amildars of Hiriur and Jagalur.

I. Read and recorded the proceedings of the meeting of the Board held on the 7th February 1912.

II. Read Government Proceedings No. 465-71—Ry. 124-11-2, dated 28th February 1912, sanctioning the estimate for Rs. 8,000 for surveying the Chikjajur-Chitaldrug Railway line and preparing project and estimates for the same.

Resolution.—Recorded. The Board wish to convey to Government their thanks for having sanctioned the survey and trust that the line itself will be taken up very soon.

III. Read Deputy Commissioner's D. O. letter dated 17th May 1912, to the Dewan of Mysore, submitting proposals in the matter of raising in the district itself a portion of the amount required for the construction of Chikjajur-Chitaldrug Railway.

Resolution.—The Board approve of the proposal and recommend that Government will sanction it.

III. (A) Mr. Raghavachar, who was requested to attend the meeting, explained that the line will be about 21 miles in length, and will cost about $8\frac{1}{2}$ lakhs and that a gross annual return of about Rs. 65,000 and net return of about Rs. 35,000 may be expected. The Board wish to thank Mr. Raghavachar for the information kindly supplied.

IV. Read letter No. 6726—L. B. 21-11-6, dated 16th December 1911, from the General and Revenue Secretary, informing that in the matter of levying a railway cess in the district, the passing of the amending Local Board's Regulation must be awaited.

Resolution.—Recorded with the request that Government may be pleased to take very early steps in the matter.

V. Read Memo No. 140, dated 18th April 1912, from the Assistant Commissioner, Chitaldrug Sub-Division, proposing that a rent of Rs. 3 per mensem may be recovered from the Police Department on account of the location of the Police Station in the musafirkhana at Rampur.

Resolution.—The proposal may be submitted to Government for sanction.

VI. Read letter No. 124, dated 14th February 1912, from the Executive Engineer, Marikanave Division, regarding the maintenance of Hosdurga-Kachavar Lake Head road.

Resolution.—In the present financial condition of the Board, it is regretted that this proposal is not feasible.

VII. Read Memo No. 100, dated 8th February 1912, from the Executive Engineer, Chitaldrug Division, proposing the establishment of a toll-gate at the entrance to the Bharmasagar tank bund, with a view to maintain, out of the collections, the bund of the tank on which the carts bound for Davangere market pass.

Resolution.—This involves a new principle, that, if sanctioned, will raise similar requests from other tanks. The Executive Engineer will be requested to send an estimate for forming a road or good cart-track from Biderkere to Bharmasagar and after this is received, the question will again be considered.

VIII. Read and recorded Government Proceedings No. 6591-4—L. B. 112-11-6, dated 13th March 1912, directing that the expenditure incurred on account of repairs done to Harihar-Harapanahalli road on the occasion of the Madras Governor's visit in November 1910, be charged to Provincial Revenues.

IX. Read and recorded Government Proceedings No. 6966-7—Med. 154-11-2, dated 26th March 1912, sanctioning the opening of a Vaidyasala at Mayakonda for one year.

X. Read docket No. 5592—543, dated 21st March 1912, from the Comptroller, forwarding a statement showing the amounts credited to District Funds from certain minor Municipalities.

Resolution.—That the amount may, as far as possible, be spent in these Unions, the President's office maintaining separate accounts for the purpose.

XI. Read yadi No. 395, dated 13th February 1912, from the Assistant Commissioner, Chitaldrug Sub-Division, proposing that a monthly allowance of Rs. 2 may be given to the caretaker of Hangal-Rayadurg road rest-house for being in charge of the travellers' bungalow at Molakalmuru in addition to his own duties.

Resolution.—Sanctioned. A proposal to be submitted to Government.

XII. Read estimate for Rs. 1,305 being the probable cost of furniture required for the several Unions in the district.

Resolution.—Approved. The estimate may be submitted to Government for sanction.

XIII. Read General and Revenue Secretary's letter No. 8461-8—L. B. 259-11, dated 13th May 1912, inviting attention to Representative Assembly Subject No. 198 of 1911-12, in the matter of the qualification required for being elected as a member of the Taluk Board, etc., and requesting to submit a copy of the Board's resolution in the matter.

Resolution.—The Board consider that the rules do not require change, as the owning of lands in the group itself would give the member elected for the group greater interest in the group.

XIV. Read General and Revenue Secretary's letter No. 8562-9—L. B. 263-11, dated 15th May 1912, inviting reference to Representative Assembly Subject No. 208 of 1911-12, as regards the construction of a second kitchen for inspection lodges and travellers' bungalows, etc., and requesting to submit the Board's proposals in the matter.

Resolution.—These buildings are now paying the cost of their maintenance and unless the rates are raised, the proposal involves extra expenditure without a return, and is therefore not commendable.

XV. Read letter No. 32, dated 14th May 1912, from the Executive Engineer, Chitaldrug Division, returning duly scrutinised a revised estimate amounting to Rs. 2,542 for the improvements to be effected to the well at Gulihatti village.

Resolution.—Resolved that the estimate be submitted to Government for sanction.

XVI. Read docket No. 2825, dated 20th March 1912, from the Superintending Engineer, Southern Circle, regarding the maintenance charges of Harihar Water Works for 1911-12.

Resolution.—Government have, in their No. 6937—Ml. 48-11-8, dated 25th March 1912, stated that contribution from District Board to Municipalities is wrong in principle and as the District Board is already contributing Rs. 1,600 annually, it could not contribute more.

XVII. Read letter No. 858, dated nil, from the Executive Engineer, Water-Supply and Stores Division, Bangalore, regarding water-supply to Turuvanur village.

Resolution.—That the Executive Engineer, Chitaldrug, be requested to inspect the village at an early date and give a rough idea of the initial cost and maintenance charges.

XVIII. Read correspondence ending with yadi No. 649, dated 14th May 1912, from the Assistant Commissioner, Davangere Sub-Division, regarding the abolition of Dummi Union in the Holakere Taluk for reasons stated therein.

Resolution.—That the question be taken up as a whole at the next meeting and the Amildars requested to furnish the new Census figures for each Union, the figures for dakhale villages being shown separately and distance from main village being shown.

XIX. Read and recorded the revised rules for the occupation and preservation of musa-firkhanas, issued under Government Notification No. 8097—L. B. 325-10-13, dated 2nd May 1912.

XX. Read office note dated 4th May 1912, suggesting that in view of the heavy traffic on the District Fund roads in the Davangere Taluk, the District Board is entitled to claim a portion of the toll-gate revenue from the Davangere Municipality under Section 31 (a) and clause (b) of Regulation X of 1911.

Resolution.—That this matter be brought up again one year hence, when the respective financial condition of Davangere Municipality and the Board will be better known.

XXI. Read report No. 155, dated 16th May 1912, received from the Deputy Amildar of Harihar, submitting a statement showing the particulars of receipts and expenditure in connection with the cattle show held in the month of March 1912.

Resolution.—Recorded. The Board recommend that the extra expenditure, which was unavoidable be also sanctioned. It is noted that the net cost of the show is only Rs. 11-10-4.

XXII. Resolved that the next meeting of the District Board be held on the 9th July 1912.

XXIII. Mr. Tirumalachar, Deputy Inspector of Schools, recommended that as the grant of Rs. 50 proposed by the Inspector-General of Education for sanction by Government for the Industrial School at Chitaldrug, is not enough, the District Board may be requested to make a contribution of Rs. 30 per month. The Board approve of this.

The members for Harihar, Hosdurga and Molakalmuru and Chitaldrug suggested and the other members agreed that the best method of utilising the services of Mr. David would be to make him a touring teacher for the above 4 towns and it was submitted that it will be a waste to keep him all the 12 months in Molakalmuru and as the Board are making a grant, the Deputy Commissioner be requested to submit the views of the Board to the Education Department.

K. CHANDY,
President, District Board.

SANITARY.

THE SCHOOL OF HYGIENE.

(PUBLIC HEALTH INSTITUTE, BANGALORE.)

Notification dated 10th June 1912.

Applications with necessary certificates for admission to the above school, to be opened at Bangalore on the 1st of July 1912, for training as Sanitary Inspectors will be received by the undersigned up to Saturday the 22nd June 1912.

Applicants should have passed the Matriculation Examination of an Indian University or School Final Examination and should possess good character and physique.

The course will extend from the 1st of July 1912 to the end of December 1912 and will comprise lectures and demonstrations on Elementary Physics, Chemistry, Bacteriology, Hygiene, Vital Statistics, Sanitary Engineering, Sanitary Law, etc., together with outdoor work with the Health Officer.

Only twenty students will be admitted this year.

Each student will have to pay in advance a fee of Rs. 45 for the full course and Rs. 5 for admission to the Examination which will be held in the latter half of December 1912 and which will consist of four written papers of two hours each, besides oral and practical tests.

Certificates will be issued to all candidates who successfully pass the examination.

Future appointments of Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors in Mysore Service will be made from among those who have passed from the above school.

P. S. ACHYUTA RAO,
Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of Mysore.